

## Congressman Dent commemorates 9/11

Congressman Dent issued the following statement on the fifth anniversary of the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks that claimed more than 3,000 lives and launched the nation's Global War on Terror.

"This Sept. 11 we commemorate the fifth anniversary of the most horrendous attacks on the American people in history. On September 11, 2001, terrorists hijacked four airliners and killed more than 3,000 people in New York City, the Pentagon and Pennsylvania.

We remember the victims and still feel the great pains of sorrow from that day. We remember our pride tinged with sadness over the heroics of firefighters, police and everyday Americans who gave their lives to save others. Now, five years later, we should never stop learning lessons from 9/11.

Americans are far more vigilant and as a nation we are far better prepared to defend against terrorism. But terrorists' best weapon against us is always going to be our own neglect.

As 9/11 slips further into history, let's make sure we don't forget its lessons."

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